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CHAPTER 121.

AN ACT to amend 174.01 of the statutes, relating to dogs which are public nuisances.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

174.01 of the statutes is amended to read:

174.01 Any person may kill any dog, that he knows is affected with the disease known as hydrophobia, or that may suddenly assault him while he is peacefully walking or riding and while being out of the inclosure of its owner or keeper, and may pursue to and upon the premises of the owner or elsewhere, and kill any dog found killing, wounding or worrying any horses, cattle, sheep, lambs or other domestic animals. *Any such dog is a public nuisance which may be proceeded against as provided in chapter 280. The judgment that the nuisance be abated shall include a provision that the dog be killed by a public officer in a humane manner.*

Approved May 13, 1949.